



Docket No.: 061352-0046

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 53080
Yasuo TAKEBE, et al. : Confirmation Number: 5764
Application No.: 10/696,505 : Group Art Unit: 1745
Filed: October 30, 2003 : Examiner: Raymond Alejandro
For: METHOD OF OPERATING FUEL CELL SYSTEM AND FUEL CELL SYSTEM

AMENDMENT

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated February 23, 2007, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire May 23, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows.